

**CEMENT COMPOSITIONS COMPRISING STRENGTH-ENHANCING LOST  
CIRCULATION MATERIALS AND METHODS OF CEMENTING IN  
SUBTERRANEAN FORMATIONS**

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

[0001] The present invention provides cement compositions comprising a strength-enhancing lost circulation material, and methods for cementing using such cement compositions. Exemplary embodiments of the cement compositions comprise cement, water, and a strength-enhancing lost circulation material. Optionally, other additives suitable for inclusion in cement compositions may be added.